UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	CRIMINAL NO. 22-CR-114 (JNE/BRT)
v. P	laintiff,)	MOTION TO SUPPRESS EVIDENCE AND DISMISS INDICTMENT
ISAAC RENE MORAN,)	
)	
Def	endant.)	

The Defendant, through his attorney, Kevin W. DeVore, respectfully moves the Court for an Order suppressing any evidence obtained as a result of the illegal stop and search of Defendant's vehicle. Defendant brings this motion on the following grounds:

- The officer did not have the requisite reasonable articulable suspicion to
 initiate contact with Defendant. The officer had nothing more than mere
 suspicion for the stop of defendant's Honda Accord on December 20, 2021.
 This illegal stop violates Defendant's Fourth Amendment right to be free from
 unreasonable searches and seizures and any evidence obtained therefrom
 should be suppressed.
- 2. If the court finds the stop to be justified, the officer lacked sufficient probable cause justify expanding the stop beyond asking simple questions pertaining to the minor traffic violation the officer claims to have witnessed. Any evidence obtained as a result of this illegal expansion of the stop should be suppressed.
- 3. The officer did not have a sufficient legal basis to search Defendant's vehicle.

 In this case, the officer did not secure a search warrant before searching the

vehicle; the officer did not have Defendant's consent to search the vehicle; and the officer lacked probable cause to otherwise justify searching the vehicle.

Any evidence obtained as a result of the illegal search should be suppressed.

Carroll v. United States, 267 U.S. 132 (1952).

This motion is based on the indictment, the records and files in the above-entitled action, and any and all other evidence which may be presented prior to or at the time of the hearing on this motion.

Dated: July 27, 2022 <u>S/ Kevín W. DeVore</u>

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